

# Frederick County Department of Aging

## Day Trips: March - June 2012

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### National Air and Space (DC)

The National Air and Space Museum on the National Mall has thousands of artifacts on display, including the Wright 1903 Flyer; the Spirit of St. Louis; the Apollo 11 command module Columbia; and a lunar rock sample that visitors can touch. The Museum also features several exhibitions covering Earth and planetary studies. The Planetarium and Imax Show both charge a fee (bring money).

**Date:** Friday, March 9

Registration closes Monday, Feb. 27

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$25 per person

**Lunch:** Bring money to buy lunch

### Baltimore Museum of Art

From a single object in 1914, The Baltimore Museum of Art's outstanding collection today encompasses 90,000 works of art, including the largest holding of works by Henri Matisse in the world, as well as masterpieces by Pablo Picasso, Paul Cézanne, and Vincent van Gogh.

Lunch will be at a nearby restaurant.

**Date:** Friday, March 23

Registration closes Monday, Mar. 12

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$25 per person

**Lunch:** Bring money to buy lunch

### American Visionary Art Museum & Baltimore Inner Harbor

Visionary artists don't listen to anyone else's traditions. They invent their own. They hear their own inner voice so resoundingly that they may not even think of what they do as 'art.' The Permanent Collection Gallery features rotating selections from over 4,000 Visionary works from all over the world. The museum's exhibition "All Things Round: Galaxies, Eyeballs & Karma" is a celebration and call to awareness of the circular and voluptuous nature of life. We will have a docent tour. Lunch will be at the Inner Harbor which is within walking distance.

**Date:** Friday, April 13

Registration closes Monday, Apr. 2

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$35 per person

**Lunch:** Bring lunch or money to buy lunch

### Hillwood Museum & Gardens (Merriweather Post Estate)

The museum and gardens was founded by American collector and heiress to the Post cereal empire Marjorie Merriweather Post, Hillwood Estate. The museum features the most comprehensive collection of Russian imperial art outside of Russia and a world-renowned collection of eighteenth-century French decorative art and furnishings. The twenty-five acre estate has a number of formal gardens. We will have a docent tour of mansion and gardens.

**Date:** Friday, April 27

Registration closes Monday, Apr. 16

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$40 per person

**Lunch:** Bring lunch or money to buy lunch

## Trips fill fast!

## Sign-up soon!

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### **Annapolis: Walking Tour**

Colonial attired tour guides will bring history to life as we visit key sites, including the Maryland State House and the US Naval Academy. We'll learn about life in the mid to late 18<sup>th</sup> Century. You will need to bring photo identification with you. The walking tour is over 2 hours long. Wear comfortable shoes. Lunch is on your own in the historic district.

**Date:** Friday, May 11

Registration closes Monday, Apr. 30

**Time:** 8:30 a.m.-approximately 3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$45 per person

**Lunch:** Bring money to buy lunch

### **Brookside Gardens & Wheaton Regional Park**

Included in the gardens are several distinct areas: Aquatic Garden, Azalea Garden, Butterfly Garden, Children's Garden, Rose Garden, Japanese Style Garden, Trial Garden, Rain Garden and the Woodland Walk. After our guided tour of the gardens, we'll visit the "Wings of Fancy" Butterfly Garden. Lunch will be in Wheaton Regional Park, home of the Ovid Hazen Wells Carousel and a miniature replica of an 1863 C.P. Huntington train.

**Date:** Friday, May 18

Registration closes Monday, May 7

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 4:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$35 per person

**Lunch:** Bring lunch

### **Smithsonian's National Zoo**

The National Zoo covers 163 acres and it takes several hours to see all of the animals and exhibits. To make your walk around the Zoo more enjoyable, wear comfortable shoes and clothing, as the Zoo is set on hilly terrain and some paths are steep.

**Date:** Friday, June 8

Registration closes Tuesday, May 29

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$25 per person

**Lunch:** Bring lunch or money to buy lunch

### **Glen Echo Park & Clara Barton National Historic Site**

Glen Echo Park began in 1891 as a National Chautauqua Assembly, which taught the sciences, arts, languages, and literature. Later Glen Echo Park became an amusement park. In the early 1960's Glen Echo Park was the site of a Civil Rights protest. Clara Barton's Glen Echo, Maryland home was a place of service. It was her house, but she used it as headquarters, warehouse and living quarters for the American Red Cross. A park ranger will give us a tour of both places.

**Date:** Friday, June 22

Registration closes Monday, June 11

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-approximately 3:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$25 per person

**Lunch:** Bring lunch

### **Trip Registration and Other Information**

All trips leave from the  
Frederick Senior Center, 1440 Taney Avenue, Frederick, MD 21702

Registrations will not be accepted without payment.

Paid reservations are non-refundable but are transferable.

Registrations may be made at any of the Frederick County Senior Centers.

Unless indicated, Department of Aging vehicles will be used for trip transportation.

A copy of Trip Policies and Procedures is available at any of the Senior Centers.

**For more information call 301-600-7020. [www.FrederickCountyMD.gov/da](http://www.FrederickCountyMD.gov/da)**



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